Trouble Ahead for Whitman

his reorganization plan to him last week it was intended to be for Whit-

man's interest as well as that of Ward.

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It is interesting and significant to note in connection with the Ward-Whitman split that the Senate Repub-

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man after the memors of this committee shall have had an opportunity to discuss plans with the members of the campaign committee who were not members of the executive committee and with leaders of the party in Con-

members had been carefully selected, it was said, to insure no miscarriage of plans. It was understood that chairman Willoax was forewarned that something was in the air, because he knew that various members of the committee had been holding preliminary conferences, but he had no knowledge of their intention to elect Adams as vice-chairman. The chairman, it was said,

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Politicians Surprised at Objections to Adams for Vice-Chairman

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allow the National Committee itself to pass on the appointment were for a distinct purpose.

"The purpose was twofold. First, these men wished to keep the control of the machinery of the Republican party, present and prospective, in the hands of their own little coterie. Second, they wished to shift the responsibility for Mr. Hughes's defeat from their own shoulders, where it rightfully belongs, to the shoulders of Chairman Willeox.

"These men took no chances. They proposed to see that a vice-chairman of their own selection was installed, that the permanent headquarters were to be in the city which best served their personal purposes, that they could control the publicity and finances of the party, and that the vacancy in the District of Columbia was filled—in fact, that everything of importance that was to be done should be done before the question of a campaign committee was considered. In other words, they performed every act they could think of to button up as tightly as possible in the hands of their own little clique the entire organization of the party.

Name Six in Group

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"The men who did this were Hemenway, of Indiana, leader of the coterie; Martin, of Virginia; Estabrook, of New Hampshire, who were members of the executive committee, and ex-Governor Gillett, of California, holding the proxy of Executive Committeeman Crecker, of California; Mr. McArthur, of Oregon, with the proxy of Executive Committeeman Williams, of Oregon, and Lafe Gleason, of New York, voting the proxy of Executive Committeeman

Senator. "I don't agree with Mr. Adams about many things, but I don't see where Perkins or anybody else has a kick, unless it is us. He is agreeable to the Progressives in the Senate, men with whom I differ, but who were leading this Progressive fight before Armageddon was heard of as a political term, and before George Perkins was a figure in politics at all."

On the other hand, the Progressive group did not understand Mr. Perkins's objections to the Iowan. All day long Senators Cummins and Kenyon were the centres of little groups on the floor of the Senate.

"What has this man Adams done that Perkins is after his scalp?" was the constant query.

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campaign board for the national com-mittee, and that was all.

Vote on Adams's Election

Mr. Adams was elected by a vote of eight to five. Besides Mr. Willeox. Herrory and Hert voted against him. Mr. Adams did not vote. Bliss, Reynolds, Gillett, Hemenway. Estabrook, Martin, Gleason and McArthur voted for Adams. Mr. McArthur, of Oregon, made the motion placing him in nomination.

Mr. Howell, of Nebraska, and Chairman Willcox both addressed the committee at some length, strongly urging against the election of a vice-chairman at this time and asking that the committee defer such election until a meeting of the full national committee.

Mr. Willeox argued that they had gone through the campaign very well without a vice-chairman and that there were matters of great moment to be considered. He declared that it would be a very grave mistake to cleet Mr. Adams at this time, and such action was bound to be wrongly construed, and might even defeat the purposes of the full national committee and find the purposes of the full national committee was a member of the National Committee of the Republican party. They are affiliated with the reactionary wing of the Republican is the acknowlated with the reactionary wing of the Republican and the bitter opposed to the National Committee of the Republican party has once more usurped power that does not belong to: They have thought does not belong to: They have the declared the motion party. Mr. Gleason is the acknowlated with the reactionary wing of the Republican and the bitter opposed. William party. Mr. Gleason is the acknowlated with the reactionary Republican and Progressives, been overwhelmingly elected United States Senator from California.

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man and the treasurer, to pass on all matters of publicity, finance and expense. After having done all this the committee then appointed itself a sub-committee to meet to-day to select such Progressive-Republicans and Progress

Mr. Hays, the Republican state chairman of Indians, had taken word to Mr. Hemenway, the leader of the group insisting upon this arbitrary action, that if the contemplated action was taken we would have nothing to do with such an impotent and powerless campaign committee.

"The election of a vice-chairman was accomplished after four members of the committee Messrs. Hert, of Kentucky; Howell, of Nebraska; Parsons, of New York, and Chairman Willcox—had protested, and after a motion by these gentlemen to refer the selection of a vice-chairman to the national committee itself had been voted down.

Action Unprecedented

"The election of a vice-chairman by the executive committee is without precedent. Hitherto the vice-chairman by the executive committee, which took this action yesterday, was hand-

"The election of a vice-chairman by the executive committee is without precedent. Hitherto the vice-chairman has always been appointed by the chairman. The selection of a vice-chairman immediately after the national election, when no vice-chairman was appointed before election; the forcing of the appointment to an issue over the protest of the chairman and three other prominent members of the committee, and the refusal to allow the National Committee itself to pass on the appointment were for a distinct purpose.

"The purpose was twofold. First, which their country. "The executive committee, which took this action yesterday, was handpicked by Murray Crane, of Massachusetts, immediately after the national convention in Chicago last June. From that day to this he has connived secretly in every possible way to keep the machinery of the Republican party in the hands of himself, Hemenway, Barnes, Crocker, Sam Perkins and Martin. These men care nothing what ever for anything save the continution of themselves in the positions of party power. During the campaign last fall we knew what these men represented,



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MEANS LEGISLATIVE WAR ON GOVERNOR

Election Reform Laws, Giving Party Chiefs Sway, To Be Pressed

(From a Staff Correspondent of The Tribune.) Albany, Jan. 16 .- William L. Ward, Republican leader of Westchester County, who led a revolt against the lection of George A. Glynn, Governor Whitman's candidate for state chairman, at last Friday's meeting of the state committee, has decided to call quits with the Governor. Ward, it was learned to-night, will resign as a member of the executive committee of the Republican State Committee, because he is disgusted with Whitman's way of doing political things in this state.

The break between him and the Governor, forecast at the Friday gather ing, has developed even more seriously the Governor than many Republican leaders expected. Even George

uniting together, as speedily and effecposed to the present incompetent Democratic Administration. This self-

the campaign committee who were not members of the executive committee and with leaders of the party in Committee the numbers of the executive committee were not members of the executive committee with the six Porce of the executive committee with the purpose of the purp its lost prestige.
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that the demonstration of the Westchester delegation, headed by Ward, meant anything except a protest against his election at this particular time. Glynn hoped that Ward would be one of his most earnest supporters, just as he has always been his close political friend

Trouble Ahead for Whitman
Republican leaders in Albany, inside
the Legislature and out, believe that
the Ward defection is one of the most
serious blows to the Whitman machine
and the Whitman cause in general. It
is expected that the break will be reflected in the Legislature and strengthen
the opposition to the Governor in both
houses. The Westchester legislators,
who could always be counted upon by

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houses. The Westchester legislators, who could always be counted upon by Senator George Argetsinger, the Whitman Senate leader, may be expected to join with the Brown-Sage-Mills group in blocking the Governor's aspirations. Up to last Friday the Governor had been able to depend on Ward's support whenever he needed it. The two had worked in close cooperation. This was especially evident at the Chicago convention last June, at the unofficial state convention in New York and immany other instances. And, as The Tribune stated this morning. Whitman, according to his friends, realized in the last few days that when Ward proposed his reorganization plan to him last tion plans for meeting the Treasury deficit at the end of the next fiscal year took the form of a definite programme to-day, embracing increases in the inheritance tax, a new tax on excess profits of corporations and partnerships, and a bond issue of \$289,000,nerships, and a bond issue of \$259,000.

No. A bill including these proposals and bearing the indorsement of President Wilson and Secretary McAdoo will be framed at once and pressed in the House.

The increase in revenue under the Increase in revenue under the Increase Inc the Legislature this session a revision of the primary and election laws which will provide for the restoration of the

The increase in revenue under the The increase in revenue under the plan is expected to be more than \$500,000,000 annually, and if it fails to take care of the deficit a \$100,000,000 issue care of Treasury certificates of indebtedness

may be decided on.

As agreed to informally to-day by Democrats of the Ways and Means Committee and approved by the President and the Secretary of the Treasury, the excess profits tax would be at the rate of 8 or 10 per cent on such returns in excess of 8 per cent on investment, and would yield more than \$200,000,000; the inheritance tax would be raised to 1½ per cent instead of 1 per cent on minimum estates, and from 10 per cent to 15 per cent on those of straight ticket by marking a cross under the party emblem if he so deires.
It is not intended to do away with the present direct primary system, but to make it supplementary to the convention or designating committee.

In the Senate Republican caucus this morning Senator Elon R. Brown, presi-000; the inheritance tax would be raised to 1½ per cent instead of 1 per cent on minimum estates, and from 10 per cent to 15 per cent on those of more than \$15,000,000, yielding an additional revenue of about \$22,000,000, and the bond issue of \$28,000,000, and the bond issue of \$28,000,000 will be designated expressly for emergency exceptions. morning Senator Elon R. Brown, president pro tem, who is backing the election law plans, urged upon the Senators earnest consideration of his proposal to establish a literacy test for all future voters. His proposed measure would deny the ballot to any natural born citizen or naturalized citizen who cannot read, write and speak the English language. It is not intended to have any effect upon persons who now exercise the franchise or persons who have applied for citizenship. designated expressly for emergency ex- ernment yards for shipbuilding to 1918 programme.

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